

## Around the Square

Ho hum! Now begins the season when we hear from all the law makers and other elective officials. We should say, of course, that the season actually started late last year. It always amazes us how busy these men can get in pre-election scamperings — and how quiet they become in routine years.

A use finally has been discovered for the ancient drinking fountain that "adorns" Hopper's Park, the tiny plot of land opposite the Kersting Court Triangle. Long ago disconnected, the fountain for several years has served only as the brunt of off-color jokes. But Monday a woman was observed tethering her small dog to the fountain pipes so she could freely pursue her shopping. The pooch didn't seem to mind at all—in fact, he seemed to enjoy the whole incident.

This will come as a blow to many Sierra Madreans, but it's best that we all know the awful truth. Right on the heels of the more-or-less successful Scrap Metal Drive comes the news that the steel shortage has eased quite a bit. In fact, the metal no longer is considered "scarce," and there is a movement afoot to decontrol it. Disillusioning, isn't it?

WHAT CRUST! The seaport city of Wilmington is getting ready for its "Wistaria Festival" on March 30. Their claims to fame are that their vine is "the nation's first," that it is 80 years old, 200 feet long, has 60,000 lavender blossoms, and annually attracts more than 50,000 visitors.

Hah! Sierra Madre's vine, while a mere youngster—60 years old—is the world's largest. It covers more than 40,000 square feet of ground, and some of its branches extend as much as 500 feet. We say again: hah!

The Wistaria Vine is good publicity for Sierra Madre. But the thousands of out-of-towners who come to see the giant growth are forced to drive up one of the worst streets in town, Lima. Signs even indicate that Lima is "the way" to the vine. A bouncing, jostling trip up Lima street, we believe, definitely is bad publicity for Sierra Madre.

Correct us if we are wrong, but it was our understanding that Pacific Electric intended to make its bus stop on the south side of the Kersting Court Triangle, and not in front of the Union Station. Well, what happened?

Two business houses on the Square are undergoing extensive remodeling this week. The Marjorie Jones Shop, 34 N. Baldwin, is getting a completely new front which will feature Roman brick and a permanent marquee. The store is expanding and will be 15 by 25 feet larger. Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Hall are planning a wider variety of stock, particularly in the furniture and toys lines. A warehouse at the rear of the store also is contemplated.

Up the street a little, Rusty and Anne's Malt Shop, 44 N. Baldwin, also is getting its face lifted. Rusty promises "bigger and better booths." They are expected to arrive today. In fact, they'd better arrive today. You see, Rusty hauled away all his old booths last night.

A resident of the Lower Hastings Ranch testifies that he feels "just like an orphan" and wishes that the area had been annexed by Sierra Madre. He says he likes to receive the NEWS, though, and enjoys reading about community activities even though he isn't officially "a Sierra Madrean."

## Janet Marsh, 16, Reigns over Vine

Janet Marsh, 656 W. Sierra Madre boulevard, today was named queen of Sierra Madre's 1952 Wistaria Vine Festival. The 16-year-old beauty will reign over the annual celebration developed around the world's largest blossoming plant. The 60th anniversary of the local vine officially started with the opening last week of the Wistaria Gardens, 201 W. Carter.

Inclement weather, however, has delayed full bloom of the famous growth. Lorne Pratt stated Tuesday, though, that "within 10 days we'll see the largest blossoming in the history of the vine."

Selection of Miss Marsh as Wistaria Queen was accomplished by polling 210 newspaper editors throughout the Southland. Supervising the poll was William Adrian, magazine cover talent scout.

## Civic Club Dance to Fete Vine Royalty

Sierra Madre's 1952 Wistaria Festival Queen and court will be guests of honor Saturday, March 29, at a Coronation Dance in the Woman's Clubhouse, 270 W. Sierra Madre boulevard. Dancing will begin at 9 p.m. to the music of Douglas Dick and his orchestra, according to Mrs. Ann Tyler, president of the Civic Club, which is sponsoring the event.

Coronation ceremonies are set for 10 p.m., at which time a prominent radio personality will officially crown the queen and her four princesses. Mrs. Tyler said the dance will be semi-formal.

## City Signs Contract for Rubbish

A contract was executed with John Avedesian this week covering the collection and disposal of combustible rubbish.

So far as the city is concerned, the contract is just the same as last year's—78 cents per meter per month.

But Sierra Madre householders have their choice this year on whether to make a private agreement with Mr. Avedesian for rubbish pickup twice a month.

Citizens may obtain special cartons from Mr. Avedesian and "box and bale" their rubbish for the twice a month collection. There is no extra charge to the city for this additional service.

If residents do not want to contract privately with Mr. Avedesian for the two pickups, they may continue under the present, monthly pickup.

The 78 cents residents pay is either for the 2 cubic yards collected monthly, or for 1 cubic yard picked up twice a month. Householders pay 50 cents for each additional cubic yard of rubbish in excess of the first 2 cubic yards.

## Election of Officers To Precede UN Talk

Election of Sierra Madre P-TA officers will precede Col. Alan A. Westervelt's talk on the United Nations this evening, March 20, at 7:45 in the City School auditorium.

Officers already nominated include Mr. and Mrs. Tom E. Willis, presidents; Mr. and Mrs. Ray Obazawa, first vice-president and program chairman; Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Glaser, second vice-president and membership chairman; Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Dewey, third vice-president and ways and means chairman; Mr. and Mrs. Norman S. McDonald, recording secretary; Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Carlson, corresponding secretary; Ralph D. Pinney, treasurer; George A. Feichtmann, auditor; Mr. and Mrs. Severin L. Sorensen, parliamentarian; Mr. and Mrs. Sam McElfresh, historian.

## Work Starts On Repair Of Wells

The "green light" was given this week for repair of Sierra Madre's two ailing water wells. At an adjourned meeting of the City Council Monday night councilmen authorized the firm of Roscoe Moss to proceed with swedging well No. 2 and putting it back into operation.

The city fathers reserved the right, however, to call off work "at any time" if it is discovered that the well cannot be saved. A portion of the casing is separated at the 121-foot, 3-inch level. At this point, diameter of the well has been recorded as a scant 16 inches.

It will be attempted, by swedging, to reopen the well to its normal size.

On well No. 1, city councilmen authorized C. H. Herkelrath to repair the starting equipment at a cost not to exceed \$1500.

## School Sees 730 Pupils Next Year

City School Trustees Tuesday night adopted an official school calendar for the year 1952-53.

Superintendent Charles A. Skutt pointed out that the calendar calls for 175 actual teaching days, with the opening day of school for teachers set for Monday, Sept. 8.

Pupils will report for their first day of school on Thursday, Sept. 11. With Sept. 9 as a legal holiday (Admission Day), the teachers still will have two days of orientation before the semester actually starts, Mr. Skutt explained.

Anticipated enrollment in the fall is 730 students, the superintendent announced.

"We will be able to adequately house these pupils with our present classrooms and without resorting to double sessions," he explained. "And the class load still will be reasonable, with an overall average of 33 pupils per classroom."

In other action of the board Tuesday, Mrs. Hortense Wells, school nurse, was appointed as a full-time employee. She had been serving on a four-fifths time basis. With the additional enrollment, more nursing services are required, Mr. Skutt stated.

The school trustees also took four bids for a new school bus "under advisement." Several of the buses will be demonstrated for board members Friday, it was said.

## City Approves Sign Contract

A 36-month contract for painting and maintaining the two neon "Sierra Madre" directional signs on Foothill boulevard was executed by the City Council last week.

The low bid of the Electrical Products Company (\$17.37 per month for the two signs) was accepted by the councilmen.

## QUEEN OF WISTARIA



This is a curtsy of invitation to visit Sierra Madre's world-famous Wistaria Vine, the world's largest blossoming plant. It is being given by sixteen-year-old Janet Marsh of Sierra Madre, 1952 Wistaria Queen who will reign over the annual Wistaria Fete and Flower Festival which will continue through most of April. The vine gardens are now open to the public.

## Red Cross Drive To End Saturday

Saturday, March 22, is deadline day for making your contribution to the Red Cross.

Col. Charles E. Morrison, Fund Drive Chairman for the Sierra Madre Chapter, made the announcement today and pointed out that one-third of the local goal has been reached in the campaign. He said \$2255 has been collected so far, although more than 60 workers have not yet turned in their receipts.

In order to facilitate the book work involved in receiving and listing contributions, door-to-door workers have been asked to make that one final call and turn in their envelopes Saturday.

In addition to the "missing" districts, business house returns also have not yet been received and counted, Colonel Morrison said.

He expressed the belief that Sierra Madre would reach its announced goal of \$6585 "with but little difficulty" when all the returns are in.

In the meantime, most nearby communities this week are announcing returns as high as 90 per cent, and the realization of the national goal of \$85,000 is in sight, Col. Morrison stated.

## CITY DEBATES STORM WALL

City Councilmen tussled with the concrete problem Monday night of whether a wall can be built in such a way that a portion extends onto city property.

Mrs. Rudy Hartman Jr., 480 N. Lima avenue, asked permission to construct the wall along her north property line to prevent flood damage during storms.

Mrs. Hartman and her father, Carl Colt, 595 Elm, testified that they have had "several sleepless nights" trying to keep Bailey Canyon and Floral Canyon runoff off the property.

"All we want to do is spend our money to protect our property and the property below us," explained Mr. Colt.

Councilmen didn't think the problem was that simple. "We can't authorize an obstruction on public property (parkway and curb)," one of them said.

The matter was deferred until the next meeting, at which City Engineer L. Frederick Pack will present a report and recommendation.

## City Councilmen Split Over C.D. Equipment

### VANDALS BLAST STREET LIGHTS

Vandals armed with air rifles apparently vanished in thin air late Thursday night after shooting out several street lights on East Alegria.

Police officers, arriving at the scene almost immediately after the "gunplay," were unable to locate "anyone even resembling a juvenile," according to Officer R. E. Travis.

The prowler car prowled from Grandview to Mira Monte and east to Santa Anita. An extra patrol by police was ordered for the area.

## Trail Dwellers Ask City Aid On Easement

Property owners on Sumac Trail in the canyon asked city help last week in easing their parking problem.

Mrs. A. R. Johnson, 531 Brookside Lane, a spokesman for the group, said they proposed to widen the present 6-foot wide easement into a 12-foot wide private, paved road.

Residents on the trail currently park their cars on Brookside Lane or other nearby streets and have to hike to their homes. "No one ever finds Sumac Trail," she said in explaining why her legal address is Brookside Lane instead of the trail.

Besides solving the parking problem, Mrs. Johnson said developing a private road would ease the fire hazard in the area and would be advantageous from a civilian defense standpoint.

The property owners asked permission to widen the easement and to move back the water meters. Southern Counties Gas Company already has sanctioned moving the gas meters, Mrs. Johnson reported.

Each resident on the northerly side of the easement will yield 9 feet of property. This, actually, will make the easement 15 feet wide, but only the top 12 feet will be used for the road, it was pointed out. The easement at present comprises 3 feet from property on both sides.

The councilmen explained that a legal description of the easement must be submitted before it can be accepted. It was indicated that in accepting the easement, permission also would be given to move the water meters.

## FIERY EXCHANGES MARK PURCHASE DISCUSSION

By STAN CANN

A heated debate of the City Council Monday night centered around the question of purchasing training equipment for civilian defense.

The fiery exchanges included brief flashes of political oratory. It all started when City Administrator R. Merritt Baker announced that the city could purchase a walkie-talkie radio, a transmitter-receiver and radiological equipment for just 25 cents on the dollar.

Legislation Friday, he said, makes it possible for cities to pay one-fourth of the equipment price. The state pays another one-fourth, and the federal government pays 50 per cent, Mr. Baker explained. "How long has this matter been on the city administrator's desk?" demanded Councilman Noren Eaton. "And why was it not brought to my attention?"

Mayor William A. Kinney, a little later in the meeting, said he would "assume the responsibility" for not informing Mr. Eaton. "I knew we were planning to meet this evening and didn't think it was important enough to bother all the councilmen before the weekend," he stated.

Councilman Henry F. Korsemeier made the observation that, in spite of the apparent bargain, "you pay for it eventually."

"I doubt if I have the right to accept money even if two other branches of government think they have," fumed Mr. Eaton. "This is another example of how money goes down the drain and why March 15 is such a tragedy."

Mayor Kinney chimed in that "we'd be absolutely stupid if we didn't accept it (the 75 per cent discount)." And he said: "I challenge the statement (of Mr. Eaton) that the radiological metering devices would be of no use in an emergency."

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## Council Hears Plea for Off Street Parking

Two letters regarding downtown parking were referred Monday night to the as yet unappointed committee on parking.

The letters, from Jessie E. Dunning, a local merchant, had been received last week but were not read at that meeting because of "a misunderstanding."

Mayor William A. Kinney said he had thought the letters were intended as acknowledgments to him, not as official communications to the council.

In her letters, Miss Dunning stated the belief that the city should obtain the remaining downtown vacant lots for off-street parking. "I hope to pay my share," she said.

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## A PROCLAMATION...

WHEREAS, one of the most important primary elections in Los Angeles County in years will be held on Tuesday, June 3, during which many vital issues and offices will be voted upon; and

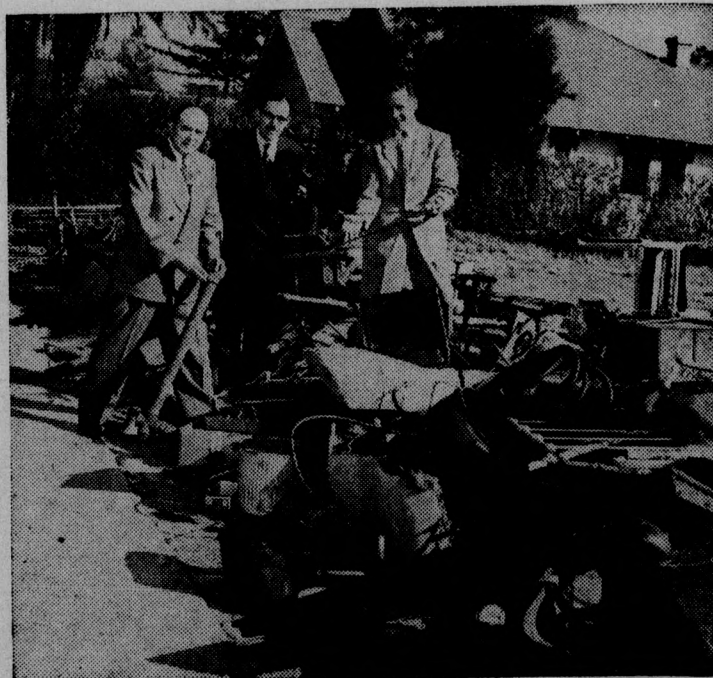
WHEREAS, the preservation of our traditional democratic form of government requires that a majority of the people vote at every election and for this purpose it is necessary that the people register; and

WHEREAS, at the present time 15 per cent of the citizens of Los Angeles County who are otherwise eligible to vote have not as yet registered; and

WHEREAS, every effort should be made to register the greatest number of people in the history of Los Angeles County as a demonstration of the value and importance which our citizens attach to the voting franchise.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City of Sierra Madre proclaims the week of March 31 to April 5 as VOTERS' REGISTRATION WEEK; that every organization in the community by mobilized to undertake the registration drive in this city so that we may record the greatest registration in our history, and that the sentiments expressed in this resolution be given as wide publicity as possible.

(Signed) W. A. KINNEY  
Mayor



"BACK YARD RELICS are vitally needed by the nation's steel making facilities," declares L. J. Soracco, left above, manager of sales, Southern California District for Bethlehem Pacific Coast Steel Corporation, serving as area supervisor of the Steel Industry Mobilization Committee. William A. Kinney, mayor of Sierra Madre, center above, and Hugh Warden, president of Sierra Madre Kiwanis Club, were praised by Mr. Soracco for their civic interest in aiding the nation's current steel scrap drive as a local civic project. Other Southern California communities have similar projects under way.

WEATHER		
Date	Max.	Min.
March 13	58°	35°
March 14	52°	39°
March 15	52°	46°
March 16	50°	43°
March 17	51°	34°
March 18	57°	43°
March 19	55°	46°

Rainfall	
Tuesday night	.12 inch
Season to date	32.18 inches
Last year	8.23 inches



## Milton Goldbergs Journeying North

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Goldberg, 590 Ramona, left last week on a trip through the north. They will attend the Pacific Camping Association Conference, Asilomar, Calif., and will go to Victoria, B. C.,

for the Oregon-Washington Camping Association Conference, where Mr. Goldberg will speak on camping.

Before returning to Sierra Madre the Goldbergs will spend a week skiing at Timberline Lodge, Mt. Hood.

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## Funeral Rites Conducted for A. Hedblom

Funeral services were conducted yesterday afternoon for Andrew Hedblom, 30 E. Carter, who died Saturday, March 15.

Mr. Hedblom, a native of Sweden, had been a resident of Sierra Madre nine years. He came to the United States in 1903.

A machinist, Mr. Hedblom was an employee of Gilmore Oil Company and General Petroleum for more than 20 years. He was a member of the Messiah Lutheran Church of Pasadena and of the Vasa Order of Skandia Lodge, Pasadena.

He is survived by his wife, Hanna Hedblom, a son, Andrew O. Hedblom, a daughter, Mrs. Elsie Ohs, and three grandchildren, all of Sierra Madre.

Services yesterday were held at the Messiah Lutheran Church, the Rev. Carl Anderson officiating. Interment was at Mountain View Cemetery, Grant Chapel was in charge of arrangements.

## Float Designer Addresses Club

The Garden Club held its dinner meeting last Monday evening, March 10, at the Woman's Clubhouse.

The speaker was Mrs. Isabel F. Coleman, professional designer of floats for Tournament of Roses parades in Pasadena. Mrs. Coleman showed movies on the raising and preparation of the flowers used in the decoration of the floats.

## CONVALESCING AT HOME

Mrs. Kenneth Carlson, 277 Ramona, president of Consero, recently returned from a week at the Sierra Madre hospital, and is convalescing at home from the effects of virus pneumonia.



**FLOWER SHOW**—Lovely Ginger Tibbets, just arrived from Honolulu, will be Queen of the California International Flower Show at Hollywood Park, Inglewood, opening Saturday. Ginger will reign over the spectacular Hawaiian exhibit. The great floral show is from March 22 through March 30. Daily hours are 10 a.m. to 10 p.m.

## YOUNG ARTISTS TO PLAY SUNDAY

Winners in the Young Artists' competition sponsored by the San Gabriel Valley Symphony Association were announced this week by Dr. Herschel S. Burns, association president.

The eight winners were selected following auditions in February as being the "most worthy" in the varied classifications of musical skills.

Winners are Jimmy Douglas of Pasadena, Philip and Clifford Riggs of South Pasadena, David Graeme, Barbara De Haen of Monrovia, Marilyn Greve of Duarte, John Piccinotti of Pomona, and Marcia Tyson of Temple City.

All the winners will be featured with the San Gabriel Valley Orchestra at the Young Artists' Concert Sunday afternoon, March 23, in the Monrovia-Duarte High School auditorium.

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## Army OKs Sending Goats To Korea

A new "Heifers for Relief" project was launched this week following the announcement that the Army will now permit the shipment to Korea of 200,000 hatching eggs, milk goats and hogs even before the armistice.

The quota for the milk goats is 10,000 over a period of time. Shipping is expected to start soon, according to D. E. Norcross, director of the Southern California-Arizona Branch with headquarters at 30 N. Marion avenue in Pasadena.

Funds are now being sought to guarantee the project's success, Mr. Norcross explained. The United Nations Korean Reconstruction Agency (UNKRA) is cooperating with the Heifers for Relief Project.

## SHIPPY CLUB CAR PARADES AT FESTIVAL

Through wind, rain, sleet and snow, five members of the Lee Shippey for Congress Club trekked to Palmdale last Sunday in a placard bedecked automobile to represent Sierra Madre in the annual Antelope Valley Almond Festival.

More than 2500 people lined the parade route to watch bands, floats, mounted units, and automobiles pass. The Sierra Madre entry was well received and cries of "Hey, Sierra Madre!" were heard along the three-mile route.



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Wednesday: Escalloped potatoes with spam, beets, green tossed salad, apple crisp, tuna sandwiches, milk.

Thursday: Meat loaf, escalloped tomatoes, fruit jello salad, peanut butter sandwich, ice cream, milk.

Friday: Creamed tuna on toast, buttered peas, egg salad, prunes, milk.

## Nursery School Lists Chairmen

New committee chairmen for 1952 were announced last week by Mrs. Edith Dane, president of the Sierra Madre Community Nursery School Association. The chairmen include:

Mrs. Gerald Marugg Jr. and Mrs. James O. Johnson, ways and means; Mrs. Peter Ward, public relations; Mrs. Dorothy Tiller, personnel policy; Frank DeVirgilio, facilities; Mrs. Garland Smith, housing; Mrs. J. P. O'Neill, membership, and Mrs. F. Tempes, future planning.



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## Mrs. Kortkamp Ends Trip East

Mrs. Percy Kortkamp, 460 W. Montecito, recently returned from a three-week trip to Chicago. Her son, Glenn Burris, of New York, is playing the lead, Karl Franz, in the Shuberts Company current production of "The Student Prince" in Detroit. En route to Sierra Madre, Mrs. Kortkamp visited in Omaha with her daughter, Miss Moreland Kortkamp, pianist.

While Mr. Burris is on tour, Mrs. Burris and daughter, Lynne, 4, are visiting here with the Kortkamps. Mr. Burris plans to join his family here in May.

Mr. Burris attended Pasadena City College and appeared in the college productions. He studied voice in Hollywood and New York.

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## COUNTY MAY CONSOLIDATE ALL ELECTIONS

Benjamin S. Hite, county registrar of voters, was instructed by the Board of Supervisors recently to bring in a report on the number of municipal and district elections held each year throughout the county, together with the cost to the taxpayers and the location of each election.

The request was made after a motion by Supervisor Ray Darby to have the county sponsor legislation for the consolidation of all elections held by cities and districts within the county.

"Last year," Mr. Darby said, "261 elections were held. A consolidation of such elections would mean that cities and districts would set their elections for a given date either in June or November, or whenever such time for elections was set by law. This would mean an elimination of overlapping procedures and a saving of tax funds," explained the supervisor.

Before "tampering with election laws so close to election time," however, the Board decided to have a survey made on the advisability of such a change.

## Purchase OKd Of Fire Hose

The purchase of 500 feet of 2½-inch fire hose was authorized by the City Council last week.

Councilmen accepted the low bid of \$1.75 per foot from the American Rubber Company.

## PERMITS FOR 10 HOUSES PERK UP BUILDING MONTH

Building activity in Sierra Madre "picked up some" last month after the year got off to a shaky start in January.

William Lees, city building inspector, said building permits totalling \$102,330 were issued from his office during February. This was nearly double the total in permits for January.

The year still isn't measuring up to 1951 yet, Mr. Lees pointed out. The first two months of '51 showed a total of \$418,338.50, as compared with only \$160,530 for January and February of this year.

February of last year was considered an "unusually heavy" building month, with permits amounting to \$324,551.50.

The construction of 10 new residences helped swell last month's total. Permits for six of these new houses were taken out by W. W. Gildersleeve, 405 Manzanita.

The sextet of dwellings will be at 375, 385, 395, 405, 415 and 425 E. Laurel. Permits for \$9000 were issued for each house.

Other building permits of more than \$500 were issued to: Earl Morris, to alter a dwelling and construct a garage at 43 W. Carter, permit for \$1700; E. J. Alfery, to build a house and garage at 200 S. Sunny-side, permit for \$11,000; G. W. Shaw, to add a room at 118 E. Carter, permit for \$600; Herbert Hoover, to build a house and garage at 380 Ramona, \$9000.

Veterans of Foreign Wars Post, to construct two store buildings at 280-282 W. Sierra Madre boulevard, \$9800; Dr. George W. Groth, to add four rooms to a building at 94 N. Baldwin, \$2000; Mrs. H. Krels, to repair a building at 15 S. Baldwin, \$800; Robert Griffin, to roof a barbecue patio at 130 Rancho Road, \$1000.

Robert F. W. Schunke, to erect a dwelling at 237 N. Baldwin, \$6400; George Osborn, to add a room at 50 Wilcox Road, \$3000; Ruth E. Clayton, to build a house and garage at 400 N. Lima, \$500; Cal Rambeau, to alter a dwelling at 312 E. Grandview, \$1000; and Boyd E. Keith, to alter a dwelling at 830 Skyland Drive, \$1000.

## Lions to Fete Engineers

"Engineers' Night" will be observed when the Sierra Madre Lions meet this evening, March 20, 7:15 p.m. at the Woman's Clubhouse, 270 W. Sierra Madre boulevard.

"The meeting will be in honor of the several engineers we have as members in the club," explained Ralph (Pappy) Welch, program chairman.

In charge of the evening will be Willard Holt, Mr. Welch announced.

## Traffic Mishap Crumples Fenders

Damage to the right front and left rear fenders, respectively, were reported by motorists involved last weekend in a traffic accident near 461 E. Grandview.

Laurence Gonzales, 262 San Gabriel Court, told police he was attempting to pass a truck when it suddenly turned left in front of him. He said he was unable to avoid hitting the vehicle.

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## Adopted Children's Association to Hear Judge Mildred Lillie

Superior Court Judge Mildred L. Lillie of the Domestic Relations Court will speak at the next bi-monthly meeting of the Adopted Children's Association on Tuesday, March 25, at 8 p.m.

"Child Custody and Problems of the Court" will be the subject of her talk at the Griffith Park Auditorium, Los Feliz boulevard and Riverside Drive in Los Angeles.

## Setnans Visit Balboa Bay Club

Recent Sierra Madre visitors at the Balboa Bay Club were Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Setnan, 500 E. Santa Anita Court.

The Setnans joined a "dutch treat table" with Mr. and Mrs. Willis Hunt of Lido Isle, who have a boat at Balboa.

## Shippey Has Busy Week

Lee Shippey has had a busy time of it so far this week.

The Sierra Madre author, columnist and candidate for Congress spoke Tuesday night at the Rotary Club of Canoga Park. His subject was "Our Chance for Peace or War."

Yesterday afternoon, Mr. Shippey addressed the Canoga Park Woman's Club. Then last night he spoke again at the Eugene Field School P-TA meeting.

He conceded that his speaking engagements are "keeping me jumping."

## Auxiliary Elects Mrs. Milton Valois

The Nursery School Auxiliary elected officers for 1952 at its last meeting.

Mrs. Milton Valois was elected president; Mrs. William Herrold, vice-president; Mrs. Charles Foster, secretary; and Mrs. Charles Roth, treasurer.

The meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Harold Bartel, 566 Manzanita, with Mrs. Valois and Mrs. Roth serving as co-hostesses.

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Henry F. Korsmeier, Sierra Madre city councilman, attended a meeting recently of the

La Verne College Board of Trustees. It was the annual spring meeting and was held on the college campus.

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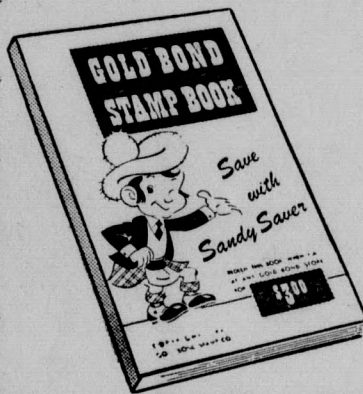
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Mrs. James Husbands and Mrs. Margaret Mac Collum of Winnipeg, Canada were honored at an informal tea Friday,

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Other guests included Mrs. Ellen Hauck, Mrs. Percy Adams and Mrs. Herbert Dowding.

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## FIELD P-TA HEARS TALK BY SHIPPEY

Lee Shippey of Sierra Madre, noted author, columnist and lecturer, was speaker at the Eugene Field P-TA meeting held last night, Wednesday, March 19, 7:30 p.m., in the school cafeteria. Mr. Shippey's topic was "Incredible California."

Music was provided by the school orchestra, and the third grade room mothers served refreshments. Board members also expected to vote on a recent recommendation that a telebinocular for testing children's eyes be purchased. The P-TA is purchasing dishes and material for stage curtains.

At a recent meeting, a life membership award was presented to Mrs. Gordon Doyle, finance chairman, for her efforts in the recent Eugene Field School Blood Bank drive.

The next board meeting will be held Wednesday, April 2, at the home of Mrs. Ross Lockhart, 2069 N. Villa Heights Road, Pasadena. The meeting will start at 10 a.m. and will be followed by a potluck luncheon.

## Three Birthdays To Be Honored Saturday Night

Mr. and Mrs. William Underwood, 770 Canyon Crest Drive, are giving a dinner party Saturday evening, March 22, to celebrate three birthdays in the family within two weeks of each other.

Feted will be Mr. Underwood's mother, Mrs. Florence Underwood, A. J. Dewey, father of Mrs. William Underwood, and her brother, A. J. Dewey Jr. Present will be Mrs. A. J. Dewey, Mrs. A. J. Dewey Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Steele of El Monte.

## Storkland

A daughter, Nora Elizabeth, was born to Lt. Cmdr. and Mrs. Charles E. Wood, 494 Auburn, at St. Luke Hospital Feb. 24. Cmdr. Wood, at present stationed at the Naval Shipyard, Mare Island, Calif., aboard the USS Hopewell, was home for the event.

Also welcoming the new arrival are the Wood's three other daughters, Pamela, 8, Priscilla, 5, and Deborah, 3.

## Michigan Guests At Whalen Home

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Miss Cale, president of the Young People's Society at the church, and a freshman at Pasadena College, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Orville Cale, 904 1/2 S. Atlantic, Alhambra. Mrs. Cale is the head of the Sierra Madre Church of the Nazarene music department.

Mr. Mullett is a sophomore at Pasadena College and plans to be a doctor. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Mullett, 1628 N. Sierra Bonita, Pasadena.

## Local Women Visit Mexico

Mrs. Lloyd Welch, 50 Montecito Court, and Mrs. Ora Olson, formerly of Sierra Madre and now of 15223 Hartsook, Sherman Oaks, left last Saturday for San Diego and flew to Mexico for a two-week vacation. They will visit Mexico City and take side trips from there.

Mrs. Welch is the proprietor of the Wistaria Beauty Shop.

## DON BENITO P-TA HOLDS FIRST EVENT

Approximately 175 adults and 175 children attended the Don Benito P-TA potluck dinner given in the Eugene Field school cafeteria last Friday evening, March 14. The potluck dinner was the first event to be given by the newly-organized association.

Mrs. Gerald Ferracone, president, was presented with an orchid corsage.

The potluck dinner raised funds totalling \$140.

phew, Michael, 7 1/2, of Troy, Mich.

Mrs. Gow and Michael have been in California for several weeks. Before returning to Michigan they will join Mr. Gow in Mexico and will tour that country.

(Pol. Adv.)

## LET'S GET ON LEE'S SIDE

By REBECCA B. COLLIGAN



The most un-exclusive club in town was formed last week. It is the Shippey for Congress Club, and anyone can join. The dues are 50

cents and one vote.

Things are really humming for the Sierra Madre candidate for Congress. Last week he spoke at house meetings in La Canada, North Hollywood, Altadena, Sierra Madre, a second one in Altadena, and the Business and Professional Women's Club in Sierra Madre. Those house meetings are a mighty nice way to meet and look over a political candidate. Everyone should wish to make up his own mind about a candidate's personality and qualifications, and anyone who wishes to invite in six or eight or a dozen or so of the neighbors in his or her block can arrange for an afternoon or evening meeting — or maybe even a morning meeting if things get too busy — at which they can put their personal questions up to the candidate. Mrs. Wysocki had a charming meeting last week and the club meeting at the home of Mrs. Narozny was a party, too, but that isn't necessary. Whether you're Democrat, Republican or Independent, here's your chance really to know the man who may represent us in Congress and decide whether or not you wish him to do so. There is no obligation. Of course, if you join the Shippey for Congress Club it will cost you 50 cents, but that is another matter.

Yet, won't it be a strange, new note in politics if a man can be elected to Congress, largely on 50-cent contributions instead of the \$1000 bills the lobbyists put out — which so many candidates gladly accept? That's just what we think will happen — if you'll help. Address Shippey for Congress, Box 427, Sierra Madre.



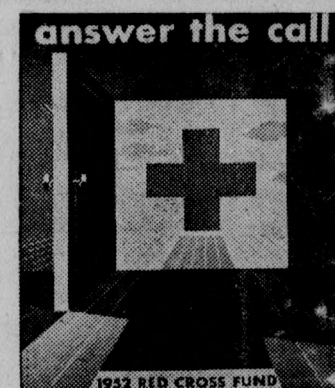
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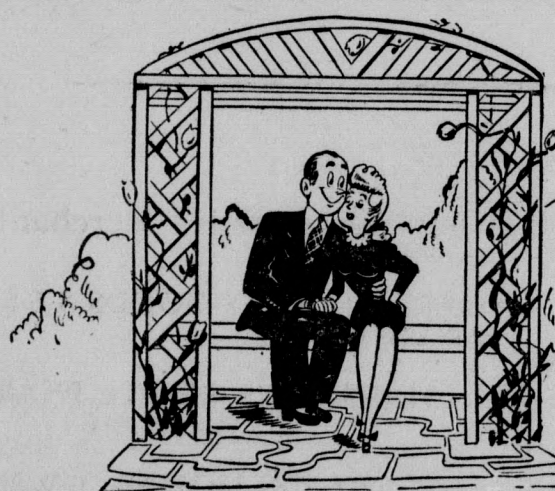
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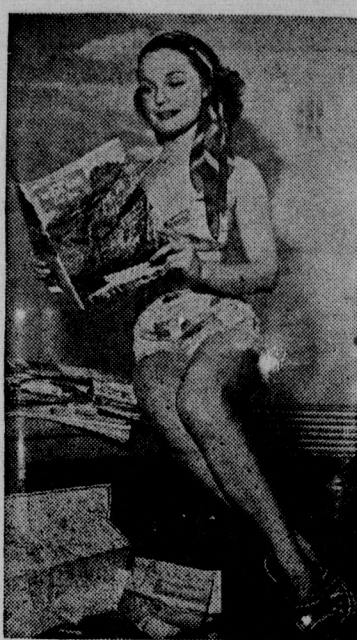
Thrifty housewives were alerted this week for the 74th semi-annual Rummage Sale of the Pasadena Auxiliary of the California Junior Republic to be held at the Pasadena Civic Auditorium from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. on Thursday, March 27.

Seasoned patrons of this event reportedly plan ahead from sale to sale for replacement of household items, supplement of wardrobes or addition of small luxuries to everyday living.

Proceeds from the sales go to the California Junior Republic at Chino and provide social, educational and recreational facilities for the high school age boys at the Republic.

Mrs. Neal R. Batterson of Sierra Madre, president of the auxiliary, is general manager of the sale and will be assisted again by Ollie Prickett as master of ceremonies.

Several Sierra Madreans, besides Mrs. Batterson, are active in the auxiliary. They include Mrs. William Burgess, Mrs. Eugene Englar, Mrs. Frank Murphy, Mrs. Russell Simmons, all members of the board; Mrs. George Ellis, Mrs. John Murphy, Mrs. Hal M. Bucher and Mrs. John Wilfong.



**WANDERLUST** — It's lovely Dorothy Hart, Warner Bros. actress, shown pouring over a travel folder during last year's Sportsmen's and Trailer Show. Outdoor classic is slated April 10-20 at the Pan-Pacific Auditorium, featuring its usual galaxy of sports exhibits and stage show.

## YOUNG GOP CLUB TO HEAR CANDIDATE

Edgar Heistand of Altadena, Republican candidate for Congress in the new 21st district, will speak at the April 8 meeting of the Sierra Madre Young Republican Club.

The announcement was made at the club's last meeting, held at the home of President Harry Snow, 310 E. Highland. During the evening Hugh Colvin, program chairman, outlined the individual's duties in "getting out the vote." Dale Stevens, past president of the Young GOPers, spoke briefly on mechanics of the organization.

A report on the State Young Republican Convention at Stockton was presented by Elsa Seifert, who was an alternate delegate at the confab last month. Francis Bradley reported on her attendance at the Los Angeles County Executive Committee.

## Deutsch Named Sales Manager Of Grocers Firm

H. Noel Deutsch, 341 Acacia, has been appointed sales manager of Orkand Bros., wholesale grocers to the institutional trade, it was announced this week by Al and Herb Orkand, heads of the firm specializing in service to hotels, restaurants, schools and hospitals.

Mr. Deutsch has an extensive background in the wholesale grocery and retail meat business, a background which included 4½ years as a salesman with Haas Baruch.

The Sierra Madrean holds memberships in the Arcadia Optimists Club, Los Angeles Alumni of Phi Delta Theta, Chefs de Cuisine of California, Southern California Executives Association, and the Southern California Restaurant Association.

## Edison Company Asks Ruling on Wind Machines

At a hearing recently before the State Public Utilities Commission, Southern California Edison Company representatives explained why owners of electrically driven wind machines should be required to equip them with time delay relays or manual switches.

Company witnesses said that since 1951 the number of wind machines on Edison lines has "increased greatly." As a result, they said, installation of delay relays or manual switches is necessary to avoid unreasonable interruptions of electric service to all customers in the vicinity of the wind machines.

Starting current for the wind machine motors is from five to seven times as great as the running current, a witness pointed out. If a service interruption occurs on any circuit while thermostatically controlled machines are running, they all try to re-start at the instant service is being restored. "But the aggregate high starting current of the wind machines causes an overload on the circuit which in recent cases, has prevented service from being promptly restored," an Edison spokesman said.

## Need Cited For Counselor

If you have any special knowledge regarding nature, astronomy and weather, the Sierra Madre Boy Scout District Committee needs you.

E. L. Cook, advancement and awards chairman, said this week that the district is seeking a merit badge counselor for that category.

The Sierra Madre District Board of Review will be meeting tomorrow evening, March 21, at the home of Mr. Cook, 129 W. Grandview.

At the district committee meeting Monday night, plans were discussed for the annual Scout Camporee to be held in May.

It was announced that Bill Davis, chief of staff of the San Gabriel Valley Council, is now conducting a class in Boy Scout finance at McKinley Junior High School. The next session, at 7:30 p.m., March 24, will feature a speaker from the Alhambra Community Chest.

## Bank Women Plan Show

Several Sierra Madre bank women plan to attend the Spring Fashion Show of the Pasadena Chapter, American Institute of Banking, to be held tomorrow, March 21, at the Shakespeare Clubhouse in Pasadena.

Some 30 bank women from 11 San Gabriel Valley communities are assisting Chairman Mrs. Dorothy Fletcher in sponsoring the event.

## Dorothy G. Hill Earns Credential

Dorothy G. Hill of Sierra Madre was one of the 181 candidates for degrees March 12, at informal commencement exercises conducted during the senior class banquet at San Jose State College.

Miss Hill received her general elementary teaching credential. She was one of 55 students to earn credentials.

## No One Hurt In Collision

Property damage but no injuries were involved in a traffic collision Monday morning in front of 31 E. Mira Monte.

Maurice Ferral Orme, 165 E. Mira Monte, said he was driving west when a car driven east by G. W. Baldock of Pasadena suddenly swerved into the side of his auto.

## Community Calendar

This calendar of events is compiled by the Sierra Madre Community Coordinating Council.

March 20: Children's Hospital Guild, 9:30 a.m. Lions Club, 7:15 p.m. P-TA, 7:45 p.m.

March 21: Teenage Drop In, 7 to 10 p.m. Santa Anita Gun Club, 7:30 p.m.

March 25: Masonic Lodge, 7:30 p.m. City Council 8 p.m. March 26: Woman's Club, 2 p.m. Toastmasters, 6:30 p.m. VFW Post, 8 p.m.

March 27: WCTU, 2 p.m. Lions Club, 7:15 p.m. Civic Club, 8 p.m. Planning Commission, 8 p.m. American Legion Auxiliary, 8 p.m.

March 28: Santa Anita Gun Club, 7:30 p.m. Friendly Indians-YMCA, 8 p.m. Teenage Drop-In, 7 to 10 p.m.

April 1: Masonic Lodge, 7:30 p.m. Coordinating Council, 8 p.m.

April 2: Bethany Missionary Society, 10:30 a.m. Nursery School Auxiliary, 8 p.m.

April 3: Lions, 7:15 p.m.

April 4: Teenage Drop-In, 7 to 10 p.m. Santa Anita Gun Club, 7:30 p.m.

Call Mrs. Andrew Steiner, Custer 5-5976.

## LOCAL COED WINS POST AT WHITTIER

Miss Georgiana Bissell, daughter of Mrs. May Bissell, formerly of Sierra Madre and now of 903 W. Colorado Blvd., Monrovia, has been elected secretary of the Associated Student Body at Whittier College where she is a junior, majoring in physical education. Miss Bissell will take over the post next September.

Active in the campaign to elect Miss Bissell was another Sierra Madrean, also a student at Whittier college, Miss Joyce Lange, daughter of the Harry Langes, 529 W. Laurel, who made a number of appropriate posters.

Miss Bissell graduated from the Sierra Madre school and was graduated from Monrovia High School in 1949. The honorary posts she has held at Whittier College include secretary of the Ionia Society, vice-president of the Physical Education Club and past junior class secretary for Soseco (girls' honorary organization). Miss Bissell also served on the Rally Committee and at present is assistant hostess in the Campus Inn.

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The plain fact is that good looks in men and beauty in women is inseparable from good health. A great many people live like ostriches hiding their heads in the sand trying to escape this fact by careless and irresponsible living habits. So many insist on eating what and when they like regardless of how it makes them feel or how much they may suffer from it in later years.

## The Face Reflects the Body's Ailments

What woman wants to face the fact that her painful feet, her sagging abdomen, her obstinate colon, her colicky gall bladder or her neurotic heart all show on her face as plainly as any language can be written. Paradoxically as it may seem, it is not easy to get folks interested in their own health—even for comfort and pleasure. Inertia is so much easier even though expensive in the long run and productive of so much less comfort. In the years that stretch out for so long beyond the bloom of youth health is the reward only for those who appreciate it and earn it by effort. (Adv.)

## Here's List Of Deputy Registrars

Sierra Madreans may register to vote with any of six deputy registrars, announced Mrs. Marjorie V. Rizzo, senior deputy here.

Residents are asked to make appointments and attempt to register with the registrar living closest to them.

Deputy registrars include: Mrs. Rizzo, 161 N. Hermosa, CU. 5-8270; Mrs. Josephine Marr, 204 E. Sierra Madre Blvd., CU. 5-6269; Mrs. Rosa Cason, 462 Manzanita, CU. 5-8505; Mrs. Bernice Thew, 70 Windsor Lane, CU. 5-6275, at City Hall in daytime; Mrs. Patsy Haymaker, 258 E. Alegria, CU. 5-1887, and Mrs. Ruth Custer, 68 W. Mira Monte, CU. 5-8192.

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## City Studies Pole Request

A request from the Coordinating Council for two sets of poles with which to suspend street banners was referred last week to City Administrator R. Merritt Baker for "study and recommendation."

Mr. Baker indicated that he has suggested that the Coordinating Council try to obtain permission from the Hotel Sierra Madre and the Sierra Madre Hardware Company to install frames, so that poles will not have to be placed in the sidewalk.

Mrs. Julia L. Steiner, secretary, asked in the letter to the City Council that poles be placed, one on each side of the street, in front of the Woman's Clubhouse and in front of the City Hall.

## FAMILY VISITS

Visiting here from Fort Defiance, Ariz., for several weeks with the Roland Adams, 217 W. Highland, is their daughter, Mrs. J. Edwin Griffith, and the Griffiths' three children, Christopher, 4½, Jane, 3, and Jean,

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(SEAL)  
Pub. 2-28; 3-6, 13, 20.

### NOTICE OF ELECTION For Member of the Governing Board of the Sierra Madre City School District

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE ELECTORS OF THE Sierra Madre City School District of Los Angeles County, California, that the Annual Election for members of the Board of Trustees of the Sierra Madre City School District will be held on the third Friday of May, viz., May 16, 1952.

It will be necessary to elect one member.

The polling place for said electors of the Sierra Madre City School District will be at the Sierra Madre City School in said Sierra Madre City School District.

The polls will be open between the hours of 7:00 o'clock A.M. and 7:00 o'clock P.M.

The returns of the election will be canvassed at 8 o'clock on May 23, 1952.

The officers appointed to conduct the election in the above-named Elementary School District are:

Henrietta G. Hinkley, Inspector

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No one in Sierra Madre has a geiger counter or knows how to work one, he pointed out.

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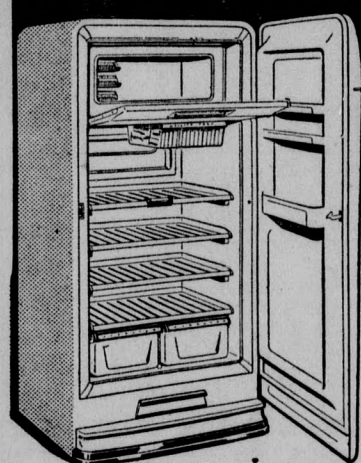
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geiger counters would we require?" asked Mr. Eaton.

"It would be nice to have four, but we could get along with one," replied the mayor. Police Chief Gordon G. McMillan remarked that maintaining morale and keeping the civilian defense program going requires equipment.

"It's just like insurance," he declared. "You can't say you need it until it (a disaster) happens."

Earlier, Councilman Lawrence Washburn made a motion authorizing the purchase of the equipment. Mr. Eaton immediately moved an amendment striking out the radio-logical equipment.

Both the motion and the amendment died for lack of seconds, and the mayor said he would entertain a new motion. He asked Mr. Eaton to make it.

"I cannot in clear conscience make the motion," replied Councilman Eaton. "I cannot violate my peculiar conscience."

Mr. Kinney then made the motion himself—a motion to approve the purchase totalling \$1785, of which the city's one-fourth would be \$446.25.

In the roll call vote, Councilman Eaton and Korsemeier both said "no." The same 3-2 vote was cast when a formal resolution approving the purchase was adopted.

On the heels of this action, Mr. Eaton moved that a letter be sent to State Assemblyman

O. J. Miller  
Dies; Mass  
Set for Today

Orthmer Joseph Miller, a resident of Sierra Madre three years, passed away early Tuesday morning, March 18, at his home, 55 E. Laurel.

Mr. Miller, a native of Dubuque, Iowa, was an Army veteran of World Wars I and II. Rosary is scheduled for 8 p.m. this evening at Grant Chapel, and Mass will be said at St. Rita's at 9:15 tomorrow morning.

Military graveside rites will be conducted at Live Oak Cemetery.

Mr. Miller was a member of the Unknown Soldier Post, Veterans of Foreign Wars, in Los Angeles.

He is survived by his wife, Elise of Sierra Madre, and two sisters and a brother, all of Dubuque.

Frank Lanterman, stating that it is the belief of the council that "treasury drains" by which money supposedly is returned to taxpayers by grants and subventions are "not in the best interests of the state and community."

"And it makes them tend to acquire property on the belief that they are getting it at bargain prices when actually they are paying it back and probably are paying more," Mr. Eaton continued.

The letter, seconded by Councilman Korsemeier, was approved, with Mr. Washburn and Mr. Kinney registering "pass" votes.

(Adv.)

Man Drives  
Attacker  
From Home

During the late afternoon hours yesterday Mr. Victor Keisel of this city reported driving an attacker from the home of Mr. Franklin Rottano of Elm Drive. Mr. Rottano claims he was attacked no less than three times in the last three days. According to statements made, every time he sat down in his easy chair, a loose spring resented it and pinched Mr. Rottano you know where.

After driving above attacker from the home to his place of business, The Drapery Shop at 31 North Baldwin (Sierra Madre's finest), Mr. Keisel transformed the belligerent over-stuffed chair into an easy going easy chair. He respectfully submits this closing thought: "We pad only furniture—not prices." The phone please is CUster 5-1255. (It's an ad.)

F. A. Ritterrath  
Gives Talk on  
Artificial Limbs

"A Helping Hand for Amputees," was the subject of a talk presented recently by F. A. Ritterrath, sales manager of Sierra Engineering Company and a member of the local Toastmasters Club.

Addressing the Council of Presbyterian Men of the El Monte First Presbyterian Church, Mr. Ritterrath explained that many thousands of Americans become amputees each year.

"And when a person loses a limb he becomes physically handicapped and for a time goes through a period of psychological readjustment," Mr. Ritterrath stated. "He needs rehabilitating. Handicaps are reduced in proportion to the amount of effective rehabilitation that can be achieved."

Sierra Engineering manufactures prosthetic devices and Mr. Ritterrath explained that the basic principle in the development of the "cosmetic hand" was to produce a practical, natural-appearing, voluntary closing hand that could be operated with precise control. The present hand, he said, was developed under the jurisdiction of the U.S. Army surgeon general and the Army Prosthetic Laboratory.

## Square Dance

A square dance will be held at the Community Nursery School building, 701 E. Sierra Madre boulevard, Saturday evening, March 22, at 8:15 o'clock.

'Vacation Fun'  
Topic of Meet

Mrs. Germaine Haney of Sherman Oaks will speak on "Vacation Fun" at the next Consenso meeting to be held Tuesday, March 25, 8 p.m., at the home of Miss Martha Pritchard, 121 E. Alegria.

Co-hostesses will be Mrs. L. M. Chapman and Mrs. Rose Westhafer.

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that the creed as such was a crystallization of the sentiment of many of the leaders in Sierra Madre in all walks of life.

The presentation was made by Reece Taylor, president of Union Oil Company.

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After his arraignment in Pasadena Municipal Court Monday, Richter was released on \$250 bail. He is scheduled to appear before Judge H. Burton Noble at 2 p.m. tomorrow.

Richter was jailed by local police who said his car struck the auto of Robert D. Dodge, 111 E. Orange Grove, which was parked in front of 71 N. Baldwin.

Officers quoted Richter as saying that when he applied the brakes of his car, it skidded across the street. He blamed the wet streets for not being able to stop.

Police said, however, that after a sobriety test administered by Dr. Thomas Wynne, Richter was said to be suffering from "alcoholism—acute."

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She pointed out that the Auto Club's recent parking survey indicated angle parking should be eliminated. "There is an immediate urgency of long standing much greater than is clear from the report," Miss Dunning stated. Police Chief Gordon G. McMillan reported that a committee has not been formed yet. The Businessmen's Association has not yet submitted the names of men willing to serve on the committee, however, he explained.

Mayor William A. Kinney emphasized that people from other civic groups also should be invited to serve on the committee as well.

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